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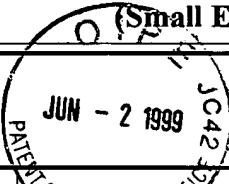
**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Docket No.

970224

In Re Application Of:

Puttkammer et al.



Filing Date

30 August 1999

Examiner

Bartuska, F.

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Invention: Method and Apparatus for Checking Security Documents

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Ext of time  
JWCD/HAF**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 27 November 1998 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month       Two months       Three months       Four months       Five months

from: 27 February 1999      *Date*      until: 27 May 1999      *Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

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The fee for the extension of time is \$435 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 26470.  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 26470.  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Signature

Dated: 26 May 1999**Karl Hormann**

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on 27 May 1999 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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**Karl Hormann**

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